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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
7 AT TACOMA

8 PETER J. MCDANIELS,

9 Plaintiff,

v.

10 BELINDA STEWART, et al.,

11 Defendants.

CASE NO. C15-5943 BHS

ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION  
OF TIME, GRANTING IN PART  
AND DENYING IN PART  
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR  
LEAVE TO FILE EXCESS PAGES,  
TERMINATING PLAINTIFF'S  
OBJECTIONS, AND RENOTING  
REPORT AND  
RECOMMENDATION

14 This matter comes before the Court on the Report and Recommendation ("R&R")  
15 of the Honorable David W. Christel, United States Magistrate Judge, Dkt. 263, and  
16 Plaintiff Peter McDaniels's ("McDaniels") motion for relief from deadline, Dkt. 264,  
17 motion for leave to file excess pages, Dkt. 268, and objections to the R&R, Dkt. 269.

18 On September 24, 2018, Judge Christel issued the R&R recommending that the  
19 Court grant Defendants' motion for summary judgment on all of McDaniels's claims.  
20 Dkt. 263. On September 26, 2018, McDaniels filed a motion for relief from the deadline  
21 to file objections. Dkt. 264. McDaniels requested a six-week extension to file objections  
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1 for various reasons. *Id.* On October 4, 2018, McDaniels filed a motion for leave to file  
2 excess pages and objections to the R&R. Dkts. 268, 269.

3 Except as otherwise provided by court order or rule, objections to a magistrate  
4 judge's order or recommended disposition, or any response thereto, shall not exceed  
5 twelve pages. Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 72.

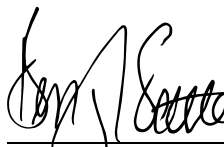
6 In this case, McDaniels requests leave to file fifty-seven pages of objections. Dkt.  
7 268. The Court finds this request excessive given the fact that the R&R is only twenty-  
8 four pages. McDaniels should be able to limit his objections to twenty-four pages.  
9 Therefore, the Court **GRANTS** McDaniels's motion for leave in part and **DENIES** the  
10 motion in part.

11 In order to accommodate the new page limit, the Clerk shall renote the R&R, Dkt.  
12 263, for consideration on the Court's February 1, 2019 calendar and terminate  
13 McDaniels's current objections, Dkt. 269. McDaniels may file new objections not to  
14 exceed twenty-four pages no later than February 1, 2019. If McDaniels fails to file new  
15 objections, the Court will consider the first twenty-four pages of his original objections.

16 In light of this order, the Court **DENIES** McDaniels's motion for an extension of  
17 time as moot.

18 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

19 Dated this 9th day of January, 2019.

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BENJAMIN H. SETTLE  
United States District Judge